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CHINESE URGE WAR ON JAPAN

Audit of Poinsett Sheriff Reveals a \$13,000 Shortage

Overcharges to Taxpayers Amounts to About \$11,000 Is Report

CHARGES "POLITICS"

Irregularities Were Fees Charged in Excess of Law Allowance

HARRISBURG, Ark.—(P)—Irregularities of approximately \$13,000 were charged to A. H. Landers, sheriff of Poinsett county in an audit filed with the county clerk Wednesday. Sheriff Landers charges that this is "all politics." In addition to the alleged irregularities the audit charges that the sheriff overcharged taxpayers \$11,000 during the past two years. The irregularities, the audit charges were fees in excess of the amounts fixed by law.

Fall, Convict 6991, Is in Good Spirits

Regarded Unusual Prison Addition, Different Handling Needed

SANTA FE, N. M.—(P)—Albert B. Fiske, former secretary of the state, now convict number 6991 in the New Mexico state penitentiary, was in good spirits Tuesday night after his first day in prison. Eugene W. Fiske, prison physician, who examined him, found physical ailments which had been reported by army doctors and El Paso and Washington physicians who previously had examined him.

"At present he will be kept in the prison hospital, under observation," said Dr. Fiske. "We will watch in particular for any evidence of decomposition of the heart or other effects which might result from the 7000-foot altitude. He will be kept by himself until such time as his habits of a life time can be modified."

Dr. Fiske explained that gradually will be adjusted to prison routine, which is quite in contrast with his life of late sleeping and reading half the night.

"We cannot abruptly change his habits and put him in a general ward in his present condition. His case is no exception in the history of the New Mexico prison. He is not the first man who has been received in the prison hospital direct from an ambulance," Dr. Fiske said.

Warden Ed Swope would not say whether Fall had been put through the prison routine of fingerprinting, photographing and other details of "dressing in" prior at the prison Monday night to begin a sentence of a year and a day for his conviction of accepting a bribe of \$100,000.

Fall's ailments were listed by Dr. Fiske as arterio sclerosis, myocarditis chronic pleurisy, arrested tuberculosis and arthritis particular of the spine.

County Singers in Annual Convention

Next Meeting to Be Held at Sardis, Near Ozan, Next October

The Hempstead County Singing Association met Sunday in Annual Convention at Rocky Mount church, three miles east of Hope. The meeting was called to order by the president, Wash Hutsen and the opening song was directed by Ernest Steed.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon the election of officers for the ensuing year was held. The following were named: President, E. G. Steed; vice-president, Clifford Franks; secretary and treasurer, Horace C. Kennedy; sergeant at arms, Luther Mitchell; W. J. Hartsfield was named as chaplain. The quarterly convention will be held in October at Sardis church, three miles north of Ozan on the Nashville highway.

A large crowd attended the convention Sunday. A basket lunch was spread during the noon hour.

Girls Dies After Hit Accidentally By Bat

CONWAY, Ark.—(P)—Struck over the temple with a baseball bat at a ball game last Friday, Blanche Peel, 15, died Sunday at the home of her parents in an isolated community 15 miles from here. First news of the accident reached here Tuesday.

Defendant



Heeding reports that underworld foes planned another attempt on the life of Jack (Legs) Diamond, above, authorities strengthened the guard about the racket chief as the day nears for his trial at Troy, N. Y. Diamond faced a possible life sentence on an indictment charging him with assault on a truckman.

Ashdown Postman Is Slain By Farmer

John Phillips Killed by J. E. Gamble in Argument Over Horse

ASHDOWN.—J. E. Gamble, 63, shot and killed John Phillips, 58, Tuesday afternoon in an argument over a horse Phillips had rented from Gamble, of officers said. The argument occurred in front of Gamble's home. Officers said they were told that Gamble called to his wife to bring him his gun, and shot Phillips as the latter started to run away. It was said, Phillips was a mail carrier here. Gamble and his wife were arrested.

Student Fires at Inspecting Officer

Metal Stud on Pocketbook Saves Life of the Official

POONA, India.—(P)—Sir John Holton, acting governor of Bombay narrowly escaped death Wednesday when a bullet fired by a student hit his coat just above the heart and was stopped by a metal stud of a pocketbook. The second shot went wide and Holton went forward with the inspection of the school.

State Line School to Be Discontinued

Districts to Take Over the Buildings Valued at \$24,000

BERRYVILLE, Ark.—(P)—The Arno Baptist Academy, a mountain high school located at Blue Eye on the Arkansas-Missouri state line 18 miles from here, will discontinue operations. The school was established in 1918 by consolidation of schools in Arkansas and Missouri. The districts out of which the consolidation grew are expected to take over the buildings valued at \$24,000.

Slays Estranged Wife and Himself

Fort Smith Man Uses Pistol With Deadly Effect at Monroe, La.

MONROE, La.—(P)—A. M. Littlefield, 25, of Fort Smith, Ark., fatally shot his estranged wife Tuesday night and then committed suicide as the two sat on the porch of the wife's rooming house here. Both were shot in the head and a pistol was found beside Littlefield's body. He was dead when ambulance attendants arrived and his wife died half an hour later without regaining consciousness. The two had been separated for several months and Littlefield returned here Tuesday from Fort Smith. A 19-month-old daughter survives.

McNeil Crop Outlook Is Best in Years

M'NEIL, Ark.—Crop conditions in the vicinity of McNeil are reported to be the best in years due to recent rains. The corn production is expected to be sufficient to care for all needs. Cotton is free of boll weevils and other pests, and the fruit trees are heavily loaded. The peach and apple yields are expected to be the greatest in many years.

7 Planes Pledged For Dedication of Airport on Sunday

Congressman Parks to Deliver Address at 2 Sunday Afternoon

CIRCUS SCHEDULED

Stunts, Passenger Flights to Provide Attraction During the Day

Assurances of at least seven planes and Congressman Tilman B. Parks as speaker, have been received by the committee handling the dedication program for the Hope municipal airport Sunday, July 26.

The program will be opened at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon by Mr. Parks' address, sponsored by Hope Chamber of Commerce and the Leslie Huddleston post of the American Legion.

Mayor John Vesey will deliver the address of welcome. The Hope Boys Band is to furnish a concert on the field during the afternoon.

Air Circus Coming From 2 to 6 o'clock the airport will be the scene of the largest air circus ever to be put on in this section, accompanied by scores of passenger-carrying flights.

The Chamber of Commerce and the Legion post have broadcast an invitation to Southwest Arkansas counties to attend the dedication. There will be a nominal admission fee at the gates to the field, the proceeds going into a fund to build the first local hangar.

Among the air circus events now being arranged for, are parachute jumps, airplane races, and dead-stick landings. Definite assurances of seven planes have been received from the following companies:

Seven Planes Guaranteed Air Travel, Inc., Little Rock, two planes; Arkansas School of Aviation, Little Rock, two; and three ships from Texarkana.

In addition, the 154th Observation Squadron of Little Rock is expected to send a squadron of military ships. Negotiations for the release of these planes are already underway between local officials and executive officers of the State Military Department.

Injuries Fatal to Railroad Employee

Sam Moody of Mount Olive Dies After Fall Under Train

BATESVILLE.—Following injuries suffered Tuesday when he fell beneath the wheels of a moving freight train near his home at Mount Olive, 40 miles north of here, Sam Moody, 22, railroad employee, died in a hospital here.

Moody was unconscious when found, and details of the accident are not known. Railroad officials are investigating. Moody was brought to the hospital and physicians amputated the left leg below the knee. Loss of blood and shock caused his death.

Loses His Life at Texas Resort

Walter Lee Corley, Formerly of Little Rock, Drowns Near Ft. Worth

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Walter Lee Corley, aged 34, formerly of Little Rock, Ark., drowned at Leawood, a resort near here, Tuesday night. He is survived by his wife, two children, Audrey and Carl, all of whom were here with him; three brothers, A. M. and Douglas Corley of Little Rock, and W. O. Corley of Pine Bluff, Ark.; three sisters, Mrs. A. E. Roberts of Little Rock, Mrs. T. E. Smith of Helena, Ark., and Mrs. Inez Moak of McComb, Miss., and a half-brother, S. J. Bennett of Greenwood, Miss. The body will be sent to Parkin, Ark., the family home, for burial.

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State School System

Associated Press Staff Writer By HENRY N. DORRIS

LITTLE ROCK.—(P)—The net debt of the state's public school system increased last year by \$4,194,233.65, of which \$916,152.85 represented short term notes issued to pay salaries of teachers.

Practically all of the \$916,152 will be repaid by the close of the next term, but, according to Dr. Howard A. Dawson, statistical expert of the state department of education, it must come out of apportionments from the equalization fund and therefore at the expense of school operating efficiency. The gross income of the approximately 2,700 school districts last year was revealed by Dr. Dawson as \$17,167,351, of which \$3,278,081.65 represented income from bond sales and is in addition to the short term notes.

The revenue from all sources, exclusive of bond or note sales, was \$12,793,117.35.

Sources of this revenue were as follows: Common school fund \$2,497,282.72; equalizing fund, \$530,406.21; two-tenths of a mill tax for vocational education, \$125,000; eighteen-hundredths of a mill tax for county supervision of schools, \$103,000 federal funds for vocational education, \$133,792.72; local property taxes, \$8,750,000; county sources, such as poll taxes, fines, penalties, forfeitures and interest on county depository funds, \$755,000.

In addition to the \$916,152 which school districts must pay back on short term notes next year, \$1,628,929 must be paid in interest and principal, on the aggregate debt of approximately \$26,000,000. Roughly, then, \$2,500,000 out of the anticipated revenues of \$12,728,421 for next year must be paid out of first money received leaving about \$10,228,421 for operation of schools.

The state department estimates that on the same basis of school operating efficiency maintained last year, the schools must have a revenue of \$14,367,350.

By a simple process of subtraction,

New Suits Filed By Bishop Cannon

Methodist Prelate Seeks Additional \$1,500,000 From Hearst

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Bishop James Cannon Jr. of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, Tuesday filed libel suits in the District of Columbia Supreme Court, seeking \$1,500,000 damages from William Randolph Hearst and the Washington Times Company. Articles published in Hearst newspapers in July, 1920, relating to the cleric's courtship of Mrs. Helen Hawley McCallum, whom he married, were made the basis of the suits.

A similar libel suit was filed by Bishop Cannon some time ago against Hearst, George G. Young, publisher of the Los Angeles Examiner, and the Examiner. Cannon brought action here against Hearst in October for \$5,000,000 damages over the stories involving Mrs. Cannon. He also brought suit in the same court for damages of \$500,000 from Representative Tinkham, Republican, Massachusetts, charging he had been libeled by Tinkham's statements about Cannon's activities during the 1928 presidential campaign.

Home Looted of Pre-War Whisky

Chicago Thugs Hold Possession of Rich Widow's House for Hours

EVANSTON, Ill.—A gang Tuesday took possession of the home of Mrs. Charles Deering, widow of the former chairman of the board of the International Harvester Company, and after binding four servants, kept them tied for four hours and finally left with a load of 20 cases of choice pre-war whiskeys.

Mrs. Deering is in Europe but the house has been kept open in the care of the servants. They were all present when the thugs forced their way in at the points of revolvers.

While the robbers were loading a truck the telephone rang. One of them unbound one of the maids, escorted her to the instrument and forced her to tell the caller her mistress was away and would not return until fall. The thieves sawed an opening into the liquor bin and selected only the best of the large liquor stock that Mr. Deering had laid in before he died. One of the maids managed to free herself after a half hour's struggle with the ropes and liberated the others.

Extension on Debt Payment Beyond 1 Year Is Advocated

William Green, of American Federation of Labor Is Authority

PROGRESS IS SHOWN

Secretary of State Stimson Says Finance Situation Is Making Progress

WASHINGTON.—(P)—Extension of reparations and debt holiday payments beyond a one year moratorium was advocated Wednesday by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor as a means of restoring world economic stability.

Green said he felt that a one year moratorium only postponed the "day of reckoning."

The Federation president said he spoke as an individual as the federation had never taken the matter up officially. He said the outlook for the coming winter was "bad."

Program Shown LONDON.—(P)—Secretary of State Stimson said Wednesday that the seven power meeting considering Germany's financial situation is making progress and he was hopeful it would end Thursday.

All powers were represented as co-operating in carrying out the American suggestions and shorter term credits to Germany will be maintained and consolidated.

Plans His Funeral and Then Ends Life

Man Calls the Undertaker and Suicides on Lawn of Friend

COLLEGEVILLE, Pa.—(P)—After telephoning an undertaker to inquire about funeral expenses and telling a friend he was to have a diamond stickpin if anything happened to him, C. Gross Fry, Charlottesville, Va., committed suicide early Tuesday, by shooting himself in the right temple on the lawn at the friend's home.

In calling the undertaker, Fry said he wished to make arrangements for the funeral of an uncle who, he said, was "getting pretty old and feeble." The body was found at the residence of Frank W. Sholok, former county treasurer, by a truck driver.

In a small group beside the body, police found several cartridges and two letters addressed to the undertaker.

State Plant Board Make Inspections

2000 Cars of Peaches Will Be Viewed During the Shipping Season

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—(P)—During April, May and June of this year, the State Plant Board inspected 222 cars of fruits and vegetables which were graded by federal-state inspectors and it is expected more than 2,000 cars of peaches will be inspected during the peach shipping season. Fruit and vegetable inspections included 63 cars of strawberries, 93 cars of potatoes, 31 cars of peaches, 22 cars of tomatoes and a few cars each of cabbages, cucumbers and mixed vegetables.

Texans Will Try For Tokio Again

Robbins and Jones Plan to Take Off From Seattle Thursday

SEATTLE.—(P)—Ready for a second try at a non-stop refueling flight from Seattle to Tokio, R. L. Robbins and H. S. Jones, the flying Texans, announced Tuesday they hope to take off at 5:30 a. m. Thursday in their plane, the Fort Worth.

The fliers spent the day checking over their ship, which has been equipped with a new motor giving it almost double the power with which the previous flight was attempted. The Fort Worth was forced down near Nome early this month because its weak motor prevented it keeping in the air with the refueling plane. The fliers plan to refuel over Fairbanks and over Nome as on the previous attempt.

President of Nationalists in Offer to Resign

Bulletins

HOT SPRINGS.—(P)—Ossie Montgomery, 17, of Shawnee, Okla., attempting to hop a ride on a freight train to Texas, fell under the wheels and was fatally injured Wednesday.

NEW YORK.—(P)—James Goodwin Hall, broker, flier, took off at 12:22 Wednesday afternoon (EST) for Montreal planning to start right back in an effort to beat Captain Frank Hawks' record of one hour and forty-five minutes from the Canadian city to New York.

SEVILLE, Spain.—(P)—Troops went into action in Triana, a suburb of Seville Wednesday and sprinkled roofs of homes with machine gun bullets after snipers had attacked a pair of civil guards. Two persons were killed in the fighting.

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Germany.—(P)—The first radio broadcast from the stratosphere was heard Wednesday morning when a diminutive balloon with an automatic registration and sending apparatus told members of the Graf Zeppelin it had reached a height of 50,000 feet. The Graf tested the apparatus preparing for a projected Arctic flight.

State Ball Title Fight on Thursday

Hope-Monticello Game at the Fair Park at 3 O'clock

The starting lineup for Hope in the game with Monticello at 3 p. m. Thursday at Fair Park was announced Wednesday morning. The game will determine the winner of the semi-final round of the state championship of American Legion junior ball teams, and the victor here will meet either Hot Springs or Conway, in a game to be played either at Conway or Little Rock, for the state championship.

Hope will pin much of its expectations on R. C. Kennedy, dependable pitcher who has shown to advantage all season. The probable starting lineup follows: Jack Turner, 1b; Taylor Alexander, 2b; Raymond Urban, ss; Wallace Monroe, 3b; Tottsie Cargile, if; J. W. Harper, Jr., cf; Russell Leavallen, rf; R. C. Kennedy, p; Pete Brown, c; and Paul Simms, Buddy Evans, Paul Jones and Watt Bonds, utility men.

A formal program will open the game. The Rev. W. A. Bowen will pronounce the invocation followed by a short address from some speaker yet to be chosen. After this, the ball will be formally put into play by the following well known Hope men: Barney Hamm, pitcher; Roy Anderson, catcher; Cecil Weaver, at bat; and Terrell Cornelius, umpire—following which the Hope and Monticello youngsters will settle down to the earnest business of deciding which team is going to Conway or Little Rock to fight for the state championship.

Cooking School Is Successful Affair

Miss Gartman Well Pleased With Crowds Who Attended School

Wednesday the final day of the three day free salad school under the direction of Miss Era Gartman representing the Wesson Oil and Snowdrift Company of New Orleans, which began Monday afternoon in the banquet hall of the Earlow Hotel.

Despite the inclement weather this school was largely attended by both city and rural people. Miss Gartman is a traveling representative of the Wesson Oil and Snowdrift Company, and conducts schools in practically every section of the country. She was well pleased with the reception she received in Hope and Hempstead county. She was assisted by E. B. Barrett, who travels this territory of Arkansas for the same company.

Suggests All Unite In Behalf of Chiang

Governor of Manchuria Sends Telegram to Nationalists

NEED 500,000 PEASANTS

Canton Government Approved With Proposal

HONGKONG, China.—(P)—The urgent Canton government Wednesday announced the receipt of a telegram from Chiang Kai-shek, president of the Nationalist government in Nanking, suggesting that all Chinese unite in the common fight against the Japanese.

The telegram asserted that the Nationalist government was in a position to conditionally offer to accept the terms of the Japanese proposal for the return of Manchuria to China.

Prowler Is Shot By Robt. LaGrone

Man Attempting to Enter Home on North Harvey Through Back Door

Early Wednesday morning Robt. LaGrone, Jr., was awakened by noise at a down stairs door. He went to investigate and found a man trying to get a back door entrance into his home. LaGrone fired at the intruder, striking him in the thigh. Officers who were called to the victim several blocks away, found him but were unable to find a trace of him.

Texas Constable Sought By Friends

Fate Feared By Family as Search Started for Missing Man

FITTSBURG, Tex.—G. E. Hughes, 50, constable here, was mysteriously missing from his home here Tuesday night, and a search throughout this community had failed to reveal a trace of him or his automobile. Hughes was last seen about 11:30 p. m. Monday. Reports to officers indicated that he was driving his automobile alone and was within one block of his house when he disappeared.

Claims Youngest School President

Mena Executive Is Only 24 Years of Age; Is Now Abroad

MENA, Ark.—(P)—When Eugene Kock succeeds President W. E. Keith as president of Commonwealth College in September, the school will boast the youngest college president in the country. Kock is 24 years old. President Keith is going to Europe for a year's research work under a Guggenheim fellowship. Kock has studied five years at Commonwealth and recently received a master's degree from the University of Wisconsin. Commonwealth is a small school located west of Mena.

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A Thought
Order and stability and a party of progress are the necessary elements of a healthy state of affairs.
—John Stuart Mill.

Railroads and Redskins
A railroad grade crossing in Texas claimed the life of an Indian warrior of another of the human links connecting the old west with its lost frontier epoch. An Indian known as Old Red, having attained the ripe age of 100, was killed by a train near El Paso.

Old Red belonged to a bygone era. He was one of the last of the old Apaches, who harried the southwest in the days until tough General Nelson Miles crushed them in the Texas plains and, in the last years of his life, he was known for his archery and woodcraft.

Old Red's life spanned great events. He was a warrior when Texas was a part of Mexico, and he kept on fighting until the men's scalps and burning homesteads for a while after Custer went down at the Little Big Horn. In the old age he became the friendly counselor of white men and survival in 20th century civilization direct from the old west.

This Hitch-Hiking Age
Hitch-hiking began as a nuisance and has become a science.

Everybody is ready to go somewhere or do something somebody else will furnish the transportation. The school boy stands in the middle of the street and demands that the motorist pick him up or run him down. Nations stem the tide of human progress in defiance of public opinion while they demand that somebody give them a ride.

It is a habit to wait for the government bus to roll along and take the citizenship for a ride. This country was built on individual endeavor. The pioneer carried a Bible and rifle. He managed to hold on to his land and courage and keep his knapsack filled with fresh provisions.

Those were days when leadership rested on strong men. It was a time when courage and valor carried men through the wilderness. It was a time when ability carried an obligation of responsibility. Things that men once did for themselves are now considered for on a 50-50 basis. The state does half and the individual government the other half.

Families once lived in winter according to the provision made in summer. Some now would rather live in town and let themselves from their own garden. Some would rather have the United States carry an unbearable debt on its books than extend its commerce to the four corners of the world. We have made the discovery that we can't do both.



Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spratt!

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer
WASHINGTON—About the only audible note of criticism of the Hoover war debt moratorium proposal has been twanged on the theory that it was being made at the behest of and primarily for the benefit of those old bogies, the international bankers, because of huge American private investments in Germany.

From France came the seemingly cynical explanation that Hoover had acted to protect an American stake of nearly \$3,000,000,000 in Germany and during the recent negotiations at Paris it was more than once suggested that Hoover dared not let the Mellon-Laval parleys fall and so endanger those private loans.

Factors in Proposal
There is a tact general view here, however, that the private American investment is only one of several important factors which the president took into consideration. It does appear, on the basis of both surface facts and private admissions, that Hoover would not have called for the moratorium—certainly not so soon—had it not appeared that the \$3,000,000,000 investment was in peril. But if Germany had crashed economically and politically not only might that stake have gone bloated. The whole system of debt payments—theoretically worth many more billions to our people—would have gone down as well, the world's credit system would have taken an awful wallop. These other considerations, even in the number of dollars involved, seem to outweigh the three billions we have put into Germany.

The suggestion that the international bankers stand to benefit most doesn't get very far because American investors rather than financiers are the ones who would be holding the bag on German loans. Some of the New York banks doubtless hold German bonds in quantities, but the bonds are scattered over the country.

American Investments
American investments in Germany include \$1,500,000,000 to \$1,800,000,000 in German bonds, stocks, industries and merchandise advances and perhaps \$500,000,000 in short term credits. The amount of the short term credits fluctuates widely; a Wall Street rumor not long ago said they had recently run up to \$5,000,000,000, which presumably was an exaggeration. A large scale withdrawal of these loans by British and American bankers was a factor in the crisis which existed when Hoover made his announcement.

Getting the Jump
Newspaper men here have been told that President Hoover, who made his announcement in sudden haste on June 20, had been advised that Germany was going to declare a moratorium on both reparations and private debts on June 22. And although it is impossible to bring proof of that story, it is widely believed that the German government was ready to throw up its hands and tell the world: "You can't get blood out of a turnip!"

The Germans believed, it is said, that the United States and England, forced to save what they could, would have united to restrain France from sending her armies into Germany. They felt that their only course was to force a new deal, which is what happens when a nation—Mexico, for example—defaults on its debts. Naturally, they still hope for the new deal without taking such drastic action, now that Hoover has intervened, and there is a growing suspicion that they are going to get it. Our investments in Germany were a tangible asset that could most readily be protected, whereas, future reparations and war debt collections were hypothetical. To that extent, it would appear, they figured very importantly in speeding Hoover's action.

Two Kansans Killed as Plane Tailspins

PARSONS, Kans.—(P)—Fred O. Campbell, 36, of Coffeyville, Kans., and James McCoy, 20-year-old farm boy who lives seven miles west of here were killed Sunday when an airplane piloted by Campbell went into a tail spin and crashed from 300 feet soon after taking off at the Parsons airport.

BEHIND HERE TODAY
CASS BARNETT, stock company actor, is getting out of a flight for the summer to play at a fashionable Long Island colony. LANE, her 18-year-old daughter, helps in the box office with MURIEL LADD, debutante. At a party, Liane meets VAN ROBERT, handsome man of the world. Cass begs Liane not to see him again. Muriel is said to be in love with VICTOR DESMOND, debonair reporter, but plays around with other men. ELSIE MINTER (the blonde there in gossip about Robert and Muriel's mother).

Now GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XXV
THE word went from mouth to mouth. "The Prince! The Prince is here!" No one had been sure he was coming. The great Hunt ball had been an annual affair in Willow Springs since the first fur kings and railroad barons had built their Victorian palaces there back in the 'nineties. It was always a gala event, even in the rarefied atmosphere of that glitzy township. That its date coincided with the visit of His Royal Highness was pure chance. No one had been certain he would actually be present. But here he was.

Liane, in a frothy frock of petal chiffon cut demurely low to show her young shoulders was staying close to the kindly Mrs. Cleespaugh. There was about this Cleespaugh something definitely intimidating. The clipped voices, the assumed manners which were not manners, the massaged, scented and exquisitely dressed women frightened and chilled her. She thought, "Is it possible I am over to enter this circle really as an intimate?" The idea vaguely terrified her.

Clive, at her elbow, said, "Dance this!" She looked up at him, grateful for his nearness, for the sense of rightness and security his presence afforded her. As she gave herself, quite impersonally, to his embrace she thought that life would not be such a bad thing with this young man by her side. They threaded their way through the mazes of the music.

Clive's arm tightened around her. How well he danced! He said, "Sorry," and atered her deftly around a crushing pair, a plump matron in sea green velvet and her languid escort. Liane thought, for an instant that the tightening of his arm had been an impulsive movement. Her pulse had quickened a little at the thought. With disappointment she realized he was only being instinctively gallant, trying to avoid a collision which had seemed imminent. Strange, strange young man, she reflected. A little plucked she was

Shell Pile Half Mile Square Key to Florida Indian Lore

WASHINGTON—(P)—Oysters weren't just cocktails for the Caloos Indians, who lived in Florida in Columbus' time. Apparently they were often the whole meal from soup to steak, with maybe a clam or two for dessert. A pile of oyster shells half a mile square and 20 feet thick, the "dirty dishes" left by generations of Caloos, has been studied by M. W. Sterling, leader of the Smithsonian Institution expedition that has just returned. The oyster shell heap is more than evidence of the Caloos' dependence on sea food. Together with a nearby burial mound, it holds the key that is expected to unlock the history of the Indians who lived in southeastern United States for centuries before Columbus dropped anchor in 1492, Sterling says. Oysters and other shellfish supplied dishes and tools as well as food to the Caloos. They made bowls, cups, axes, hoes and picks from the shells. Such relics, dug from the shell heap, and 200 skeletons found in the burial mound, will provide a "jumping off place" for Sterling's study of older tribes who spent winters, and summers too, in Florida before the Caloos.

To Render Pageant During Farm Week
Special Cast to Be Heard in Unusually Fine Presentation
FAYETTEVILLE, Ark.—(P)—"The Horn of Plenty," a pageant portraying a live-at-home program for Arkansas farm people will be presented as a feature of the Farmers Week program to be held by the University of Arkansas College of Agriculture the week of August 4. The pageant, to be presented Thursday evening, August 6, will have a cast of more than 1,000 persons representing every section of the state. Parts have been assigned to different counties and these are being rehearsed by county agents and home demonstration agents who will bring units to the Farmer's Week to be shaped into a harmonious presentation.

Licensed Beggars Meet Competition in Portugal
LISBON.—(P)—The licensed beggar with his brass identification badge, once a common sight in Lisbon, has been swept away by an avalanche of unauthorized beggars, unemployed and crippled, both authentic and impostors. These beggars are now being strenuously suppressed by the authorities. Peasants from the provinces are being sent back to their villages, the incapacitated are interned in workhouses and children in orphanages and schools. Many of the unemployed have taken to the streets.

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Nice large Alberta and Clear Seed Peaches. 75c per bushel. Cash after them yourselves and bring containers. 50 cents per bushel. 1 1/2 miles from Main street on East Third. Call Mrs. Pearce, Phone 1901.

Heart of Liane

that he had never tried to "make love" to her. Did he think her so unattractive? Well, she mustn't quarrel with her fate. He had asked her to marry him and she, for reasons of her own, had agreed. The murmur ran along the line. "The Prince! A discreet, polite murmur. And after an instant, in the suddenly cleared doorway, he appeared. A tall, very thin, rather supercilious looking young man with pale brown hair and a monocle glazing one of his sharp brown eyes. He was in a dress uniform of silver and blue.

THE orchestra in response to a hidden signal struck up the young notable's national air. He smiled. He clicked his heels and bowed from the waist. Liane heard the plump, green velvet matron murmur "Adorable!" in swooning accents. The Prince put out his arm to one of the ladies in his party and the dance began again as suddenly as it had stopped. "Getting tired?" Clive wanted to know. Liane shook her head. She danced dreamily, casually. The throbs of the music was in her blood. It was like an enchantment. Abruptly she felt her partner's arm about her looser. She looked up into the grinning face of Chuck Desmond, who had said "Cut?" to Clive.

"You!" she gasped, startled. "The kid himself," Desmond acknowledged. "I crashed this party with His Nibs. Used to be a correspondent in Slavaria when his father was in power. He makes me drag along wherever he goes and the boss doesn't mind. It gives me the inside track." "It's nice to see you," Liane told him. And indeed this young man whom Muriel had once described as "depressant" seemed more than ever like a friend and brother to-night.

"You're pretty easy on the eye yourself, Lovely," he told her admiringly. "Nice doodads you're sporting." Liane looked down at the pearls on her throat. "They are," she agreed. "They've been in my family for years. They're so precious I'm afraid to wear them, really, but he wanted me to tonight."

"So you're joining up with the Junior Leaguers," Chuck Desmond murmured. "How do you think you'll like it?" Liane flushed and looked away. She said "Tell me about the Prince. What's he really like?" Chuck Desmond said shrewdly, "I didn't mean to butt in. Sorry, but he's a swell guy but not at a racket like this. Too hacha-cha, he's on parade. Can't be himself." Desmond said "Cheery-ho" as Clive, somewhat stiffly, cut in again. "Know that fellow long?" Clive asked in a voice just a shade too casual. "I met him at the theatre last summer," Liane explained. "He's nice. Lot of fun." Clive said "Hum" in a noncommittal manner. Liane almost giggled. She had never before seen him give an impersonation of the protective male. She was sitting in the Cleespaugh box a few moments later when Desmond

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The Prince hurried to the Cleespaugh box. "Mademoiselle—" he gasped, his eyes searching the group. "She has gone! Of a surety violence has been done!" Clive said, "What's that?" sharply, angrily. His Highness, Hugo of Slavaria, gestulated wildly. "Of a certainty, as I said, Mademoiselle has vanished! Only her slipper remains where I left her at the foot of the stairs!"

CLIVE swore once, roundly and directly, and began to run. In his train followed quickly the Prince, Chuck Desmond and half a dozen other young men. Tressa who had been sitting at Mrs. Cleespaugh's side tried to soothe that agitated lady. "It's nothing," she said in her cool, amused tone. "No doubt she's flirting with someone on the terrace. These men get excited over nothing at all!" Mrs. Cleespaugh bridled angrily. "I fear you are not thinking what you say, Tressa," she admonished. Tressa hit her hip. "Sorry, I was just trying to cheer you," she said lightly. Clive will find her. Don't worry."

Little groups began to gather at the end of the ballroom. The orchestra leader lifted an authoritative baton and a great crashing of jazz ensued. Most of the dancers, thus assured, joined in the fox trot. Maitre Clive, after a frantic questioning of a sleepy footman or two, elicited the information that an unrecognized car had left the ranks a few moments before driving (the man thought) west. He was not positive of the direction.

"And it's a dry, clear night. Not a chance of rain or tracks," muttered Clive. The Prince's car was being brought around. With two men on the box, it was an imposing vehicle of slate gray and chromium plate. His Highness sprang within, beckoning Chuck Desmond to follow.

"You chaps go along," Clive said. "I'm driving my own car." He felt he could not but be stung up with this staid young man who had left Liane alone and unguarded at the mercy of the unseen enemy. Clive sprang into his own car and wheeled it around. Picking up speed it soon passed the big motor with the London license plate. "Though where I'm going exactly I don't know," the young man admitted to himself, setting his jaws ominously. "Only—well, there may be a few necks broken tonight in this business!" At the first gas station he drew up with an unholy screech of brakes. "See anything of a dark blue sedan with Jersey plates?" he wanted to know. The club attendant noted that much about the ghost car. The man in jeans shook his head slowly. "Been inside," he returned. "Is late. I was catching a nap. You in trouble?" Chuck said shortly. "We're after some fellows. Heard they went this way." (To Be Continued)

SOCIETY

Mrs. Sid Henry Telephone 321

When night slips down and day de-
parts
And rest returns to weary hearts,
How fine it is to close the book
Of records for the day, and look
Once more along the traveled mile
And find that all has been worth
while.
To say: "In honor we have toiled;
Our plumes are spotless and unsol-
id."
It is a finer nobler thought
When day is done and night has
brought
The contemplative hours and sweet,
And rest to weary hearts and feet,
If a man can stand in truth and say:
"I have been useful here today."
This day in honor we have toiled;
Our shining crest is still unsold;
But on the mile we leave behind
Is one who says that we were kind;
And some one hums a cheerful song
Because we chanced to come along
Sweet rest at night that man shall own
Who has not lived his day alone.
—E. A. G.

Mrs. Ella Prewitt who has been
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Shiver, has returned to her home in
Little Rock.

Miss Annie Mae Lowe of Vernon,
Tex., is the house guest of her cousin,
Miss Annie Sue Andrews.

Mrs. Lex Helms, Pete Helms and
Bruce McRae spent Monday fishing
Red lake.

Mrs. H. A. West and Misses Hattie
Anne Feld and Bertha Turner McRae
visited with friends in Prescott on
Wednesday.

Miss Anna Norton of Malvern is
spending the week visiting with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Henry and fam-
ily of Dallas, Texas, are spending this
week in the city visiting with friends
and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Johnson were
week end guests of Miss Thelma Tobin
in DeQueen.

On Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock,
the Hope Library Club will enter-
tain at a benefit bridge party in the
showroom at the Southern Ice &
Utility plant 533 East Division. There
will be a prize for each table, the
room will be delightfully cool and fol-
lowing the series of games, a most
tempting two course plate will be
served. The tables are selling at \$1.25
a player. Call either Mrs. J. A. Henry
at 139 or Mrs. Sid Henry at 321 for
reservations.

Mrs. T. R. Billingsly returned on
Wednesday from Fayetteville, where
she has been attending the summer
symposium at the State University.

Miss Louise Bailey of Prescott is
the guest of her aunt Mrs. Henry Hitt
and Mr. Hitt.

Friends will be glad to know that
the condition of Frip Hill who recent-
ly underwent a major operation at
Shreveport is reported as being very

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THURSDAY
SAENGER
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Cool!
—SUNDAY—
"Women of All Nations"
—With—
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She Was Given Keys to Europe



She gave Europe a glimpse of speed
on the typewriter keys. Stella Will-
iams, for four years winner of the In-
ternational Typewriting Contest, is
shown here as she returned to New
York after demonstrating her 124-
word-a-minute speed to thousands of
European stenographers, commercial
school teachers and office workers.

much improved.

Mrs. Pat Robinson is spending her
vacation visiting with friends and re-
latives in Gurdon, Hot Springs and
Little Rock.

State President of B.&P.W. Club Here

Semi-Monthly Meeting Is Held at Champlin Home on Elm Street

The Business & Professional Wo-
men's Club and guests were graciously
entertained Tuesday evening at the
home of Dr. Elta Champlin. A picnic
at the Champlin farm had originally
been planned, but on account of the
inclement weather, a most delightful
buffet supper was served instead.
Miss Mary Arnold, Club President,
gave out little cotton handkerchiefs,
compliments of the El Dorado club.
On this handkerchief were as many
marked spaces as there are days be-
tween July 15 and October 17, the
date of the District convention of
District six at Arkadelphia; and each
girl is to check off one space for each
day that she wears a cotton dress
between the dates of July 15 and Oc-
tober 17, when these handkerchiefs
will be collected and sent to Arkadel-
phia. This is another score for King
Cotton whose cause is being stressed
by the women of the Southland.
The speaker of the evening was
Mrs. W. G. McDonald, state president,
who has recently returned from the
national convention at Richmond, and
in an interesting and amusing man-
ner told of her trip to Richmond.
There were 24 Arkansas girls at the
Richmond convention.
Mrs. McDonald stated that during
the international banquet, messages
were sent to all parts of the world,
the furthest point to which a mes-
sage was sent being Shanghai, China,
and a reply was received within 27
minutes. Arkansas' souvenirs at this
banquet were the famous Camark and

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Mom n Pop

There's no
doubt that
the creepy
tale
CHICK SPUN
ABOUT
AUNT HANNAH'S
OLD CHAIR
BEING
HAUNTED
WITH THE
SPIRITS OF
ANCESTRAL
FINNEGANS,
HAS
MRS. ROACH
ON THE RUN



Of all the cuckoo
yadns, I thought
I'd bust out
in a road right
in the middle
of it

That was just a
starter. While I
was spinning that
fairy tale, I was
plenty busy—
I'll say you were
to think up a
pipe-dream like
that. Where are
you going?

Down stairs to
see if the roaches
have gone to bed
because—
Where I was broadcasting about
you that old wooden slides around
at night, I tried that thread you
gave me to the cord and then
the spool out of the window—
and if I don't see my guess
well, I'll have many more
back tomorrow

Well, don't
worry. I
wouldn't have
dared in my house, I
guess I'll be the creepiest

In the
mean while,
at the
roaches!



Flying Career of Army's New Aviation Chief Grew Out Of Essay

By OSCAR LEIDING
(Associated Press Aviation Editor)
WASHINGTON—(P)—An essay start-
ed Benjamin D. Foulois on the path
to the highest post in army aviation.
The officer, who will become chief
of the air corps December 20 with the
rank of major general, wrote the essay
as a graduation thesis in 1907 at the
army signal school, Fort Leavenworth.
It was the first military treatise on
the tactical and strategic value of
airplanes, and marked the young of-
ficer as interested in flying.
A year later, when the army con-
tracted with the Wright brothers for
a machine, Foulois was detailed to
aviation duty.

He has a plane at Bolling Field,
named the Connecticut for the state
where he was born December 9, 1899.
"I try to fly from 10 to 12 hours a
month," he said. "That is about the
minimum anyone needs."
As commander of the division of
more than 600 planes that maneuvered
in May, he flew with a mechanic in
heavy fog from Washington to Day-
ton. Other fliers turned back.
He is short and weighs 140 pounds.
His face is wind-tanned and his dark
hair, thinning at the top and slightly
graying, bespeaks the length of his
service as a soldier which began in the
Spanish American war.

His most interesting experience, he
says, was teaching himself to fly back
in 1910.

"In all, I received a total of an hour
and a half in the air with Wilbur
Wright and Lieut. F. E. Humphreys.
"Then Lieut. F. P. Lahm and Hum-

Nilok pottery, and Mrs. McDonald
stated that these souvenirs were more
enthusiastically received than any of
the others. The delegates to Rich-
mond were royally entertained from
the time they arrived until they left.
Some of the entertainments in their
honor being the governor's reception
at his home, the tea given at the
Country club at Richmond by the
West Virginia delegation, and many
other delightful parties.

Misses Nora Wilson and Ina Logan
of Fulton were guests of Miss Nelle
Bennett; Mrs. A. C. Moreland was the
guest of Mrs. Johnnie McCabe; Miss
Era Garman and Mr. E. B. Garret
were guests of Miss Mary Jones; Miss
Jack Porter was the guest of Miss
Maude Lipscomb; and Mrs. Edwin
Ward and Mrs. Pinney Ward were
guests of Miss Mamie Twitchell.

The next club meeting will be held
August 4, the hostess to be announced
later.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Thomas returned
Wednesday from a two weeks vaca-
tion trip with relatives at Glasgow,
Kentucky.

A dance is to be held at Okay, Ark-
ansas, in the dance hall over the
Okay Mercantile store in that city,
on Thursday night, July 23.

Ed Hervey, former Hope citizen but
now of Pine Bluff, was in the city
Tuesday visiting friends and transac-
ting business.

Attorneys Leffel Gentry and James
William Ellis, of Texarkana, spent
Monday and Tuesday visiting in this
city and attending court in Prescott.

S. H. Turner returned Tuesday from
a two weeks visit to relatives in Bar-
nard, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. (Jack) Kent of
Palmos, Route 2, left Tuesday night
for Eagle Lake, Florida, where they
will spend about 20 days visiting their
daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs.
Calvin Johnson. Mr. Johnson is a son
of Bert Johnson of Nashville.

Clifford Gunn, 17, who produced
107 bushels of corn to an acre is the
champion 4-H club corn grower of
Arkansas.

How One Woman Lost Twenty Pounds of Fat

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If you're fat—first remove the cause!
Take one half teaspoonful of
KRUSCHEN SALTS in a glass of hot
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pounds of fat have vanished.
Notice also that you have gained in
energy—your skin is clearer—you feel
younger in body—KRUSCHEN will
give any fat person a joyous surprise.
Get an 85c bottle of KRUSCHEN
SALTS from Bryant's Drug Store or
any leading druggist anywhere in
America (last 4 weeks). If this first
bottle doesn't convince you this is the
easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat
—your money gladly returned. Adv.

Arkadelphia Woman Captures Prowler

ARKADELPHIA, Ark.—When Mrs.
M. M. Parsons was notified by a
neighbor that a man was prowling
about her premises, she fastened the
back door and got her shotgun and
went forth to war. She saw the man
on the lawn and shot at him, missing,
but gave a command to stop or she
would fire again. He stopped and was
forced to hold up his hands about 5
minutes until Night City Marshal
Charles Hall arrived. The man, who
gave the name of W. A. Middleton,
in Mayor G. E. Bailey's court was
convicted of trespassing and fined \$25
and costs.

Mena Broadcasters to Join NBC Chain

MENA, Ark.—Chester H. Lauck and
Norris Goff, Arkansas' first team of
radio entertainers to make the big
time circuit, leave Wednesday for Chi-
cago to begin their first engagement
broadcasting over the NBC chain.

Arkansas School for Firemen Inaugurated

LITTLE ROCK—(P)—The first ses-
sion of the state school for firemen
was held here Monday with about 60
firemen present from 18 cities and
towns. Exhibitions and drills were
given in the morning and talks on fire
fighting were made in the afternoon.
The school, conducted by Assistant
Chief Charles A. Burns of Little Rock
fire departments, will end Tuesday.

Flier Is Killed as He Tries Forced Landing

BATON ROUGE, La.—(P)—An at-
tempted forced landing proved fatal
Monday night to Kirtly Jones, 38, vet-
eran pilot of the Wedell-Williams Air
Service, Inc., whose plane crashed 10
miles south of here. His companion,
August Ducobier, of New Orleans,
escaped with minor injuries.

The farmers' federation, at Asheville,
N. C., buys eggs by weight rather than
the dozen.

Trial of Woman Over Mate's Slaying Delayed

SANDERSON, Tex.—(P)—Mrs. Bes-
sie Sharp, 22, who went on trial in
district court here Monday for the
slaying by poison of her husband, was
granted a continuance. The case prob-
ably will come up for trial again at
the January term of court.
A statement in which Mrs. Sharp
allegedly admitted trying to poison
her husband, Telefus Sharp, so she

might marry Willie Brown-
boy, was expected to be intro-
duced in the statement she made
in the statement she made un-
der oath, the last effort being



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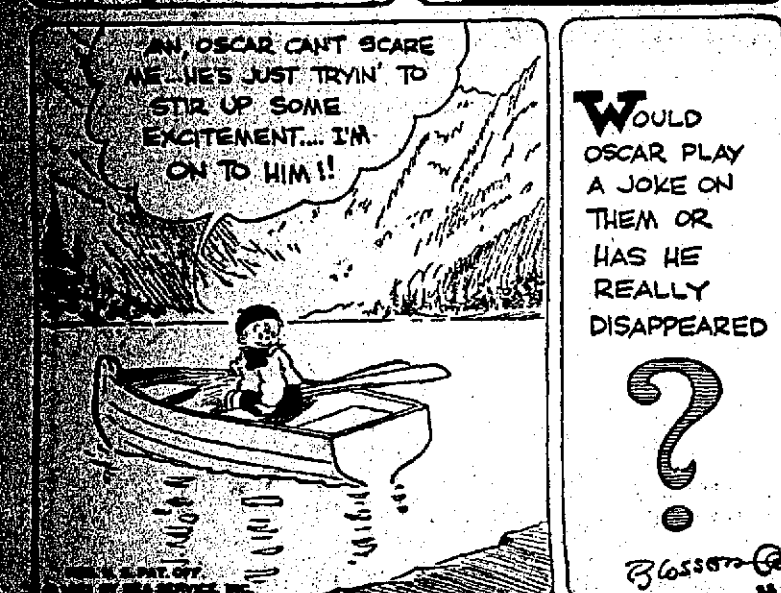
Women smokers want a cigarette that tastes
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made. That's why the last CHESTERFIELD of the
day is as mild and sweet—as cool and comfortable
—as the first. Good—they've got to be good!

Note the attractive package



Would Oscar Do This?



Colored Athletic Club Plan Boxing

20 Rounds Scheduled at Summer Garden on Thursday Night

The Shover Street Athletic Club, announced a boxing bout to be held at the Dixon Summer Garden, corner of Laurel and Shover streets, Thursday night at 8:30 o'clock. A similar event will be held at this place on Thursday night throughout the summer season. Twenty rounds of boxing will be featured Thursday night and many good fighters will participate. There will be reserved seats for the people.

The Standings

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION			
Club	W.	L.	Pc.
Birmingham	62	34	.646
Memphis	55	43	.561
Atlanta	52	44	.542
Little Rock	51	46	.526
Chattanooga	50	45	.526
New Orleans	46	51	.474
Nashville	36	63	.364
Knoxville	34	60	.362

Tuesday's Results
Atlanta 3-4, Little Rock 2-1.
Nashville 4, New Orleans 3 (10 innings).

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Club	W.	L.	Pc.
Philadelphia	65	25	.722
Washington	57	33	.633
New York	49	35	.583
Cleveland	44	44	.500
St. Louis	39	48	.448
Boston	32	53	.376
Chicago	33	56	.371
Chicago	30	55	.353

Tuesday's Results
Philadelphia 10, Chicago 5.
Detroit 4, Washington 3.
Boston 3, Cleveland 2 (11 innings).
St. Louis-New York, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Club	W.	L.	Pc.
St. Louis	57	24	.702
Baltimore	59	39	.562
New York	46	38	.548
Chicago	47	40	.540
Boston	43	42	.506
Pittsburgh	36	47	.434
Philadelphia	37	52	.416
Cincinnati	32	56	.364

Tuesday's Results
St. Louis 4, New York 5.
Brooklyn 4, Chicago 3.
Only games played.

Rural power lines totaling 1,689 miles furnish 8,500 customers with electricity in Alabama.
Ten counties in Alabama ignore other crops to raise peanuts.

J. A. Welch Named Loreco Manager

Arkansas Man Moved to Shreveport to Direct Retail Sales

Featuring a brief but rapid rise begun in 1929, J. A. Welch was recently named retail sales manager of the Louisiana Oil Refining Corporation and the Louisiana Oil Corporation.

In his early thirties, Mr. Welch is widely known in the oil circles of Arkansas where he has been connected with the petroleum industry for several years.



J. A. Welch

Mr. Welch's first experience in the oil industry was with the Gay Oil company, which had offices in Little Rock. He started as a clerk in the general office and his ability and untiring efforts were rewarded by a steady rise. He gained experience in all phases of the sales work, and was later made secretary-treasurer of the company. Mr. Welch came to Loreco in October, 1929, with the acquisition of the Gay company, and served as assistant division manager until April, 1930, when he was made division manager. Under his guidance the new division forged ahead, increasing its retail outlets more than 10 per cent during the year he was in charge.

Mr. Welch was born in Black Springs, Ark. He received his early education at Greenville, Tex., and began work at an early age. He has made his home in Little Rock for the past 16 years and has a host of friends in that city and throughout the state. He and Mrs. Welch are leaving Little Rock in the near future and will make their home in Shreveport.

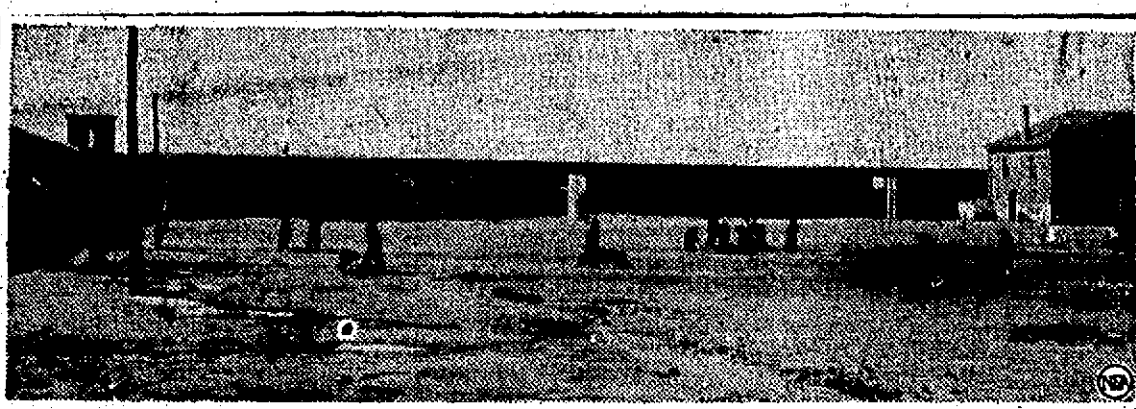
One of the new honorary colonels on the staff of Gov. W. H. Murray of Oklahoma is R. M. McClintock, a newspaper correspondent.

A field of volunteer oats near Brady, Tex., averaged 75 bushels per acre this summer.

New Mexico Prison Where Ex-Secretary Fall Will Serve Term for \$100,000 Oil Bribe



Here is the hospital building at the New Mexico state penitentiary, where ex-Secretary Albert B. Fall is scheduled to serve his prison term for wholesale grating on government oil lands while he was a member of President Harding's cabinet. Though he was sentenced at Washington, D. C., government officials permitted him to choose a prison in the southwest in view of his claims of feeble health. Fall was convicted specially of accepting a \$100,000 bribe from E. L. Doheny, oil magnate. Singularly enough a jury acquitted Doheny of giving the bribe.



Behind these grim walls of the New Mexico state prison at Santa Fe, ex-Secretary Albert B. Fall must serve his sentence of a year and a day for accepting a \$100,000 bribe from E. L. Doheny, oil magnate, while a member of President Harding's cabinet. At the right is the brick kiln within the prison walls where Fall would serve at "hard labor" if his feeble health did not necessitate his confinement in the prison hospital, according to authorities.

A's Win Their 8th Straight Victory

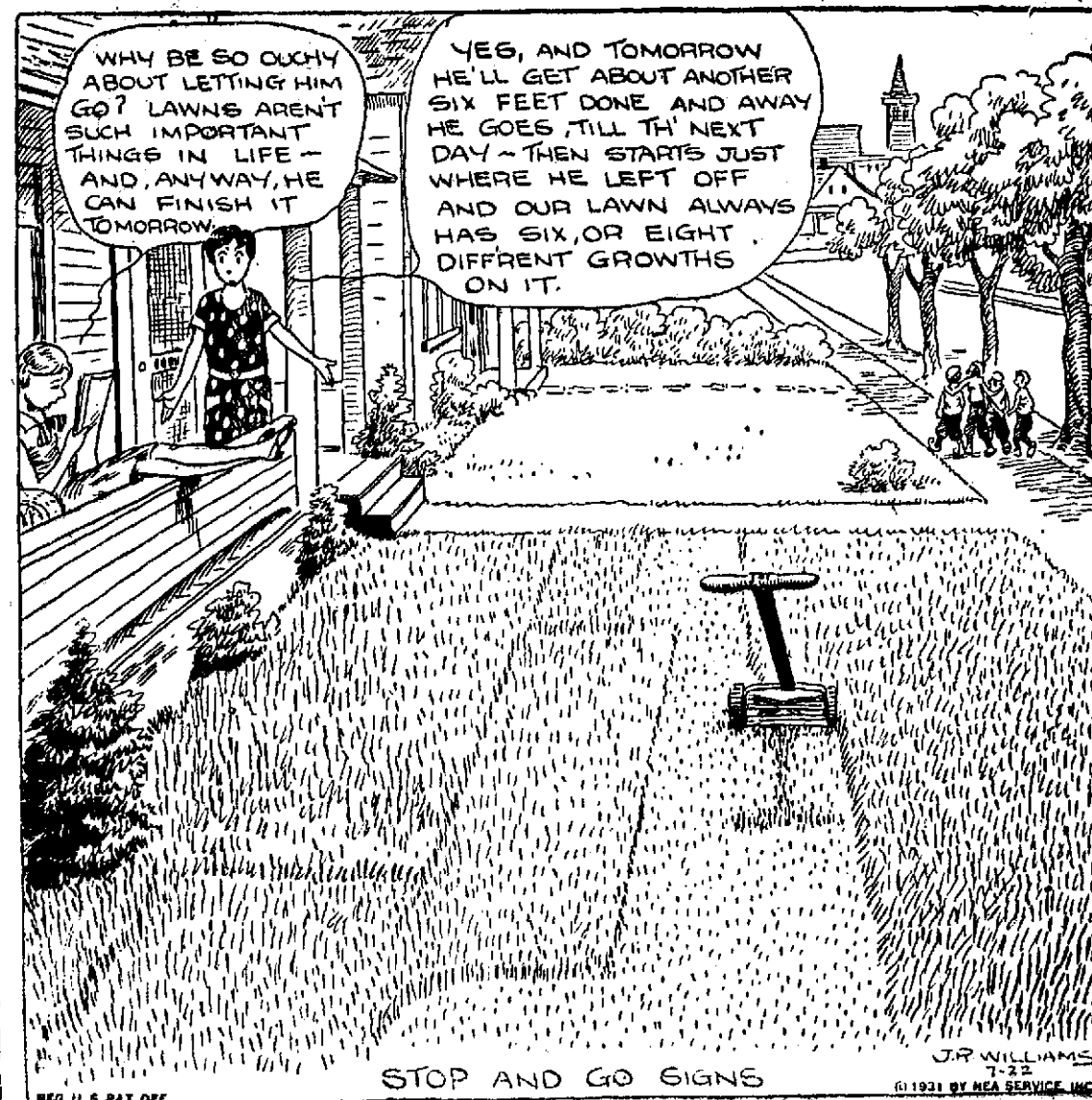
Waite Hoyt Gets Fourth Victory Since Joining Champions

Both the Athletics and the Cardinals won Tuesday, carrying them another step along the road to the next World Series. Philadelphia ran its winning streak to eight straight by beating the Chicago White Sox 10 to 5, Waite Hoyt chalking up his fourth victory in as many starts since joining the Athletics from Detroit. Hoyt gave way to George Earnshaw after the seventh inning, on account of the heat, but had the situation well in hand and received credit for the victory. Hoyt allowed seven hits in seven innings, and Earnshaw two in two innings. The A's nipped Frasier, McKain and Wehde, of the Sox, for 14 safes. The Boston Red Sox made it three out of four from Cleveland, 3 to 2, in 10 innings, Wiley Moore beating Wes Ferrell in a pitching duel. Detroit ended its losing streak of seven straight by winning from Washington 4 to 3, in the other American League game. In the National, the champion St. Louis Cardinals beat the Giants again 9 to 3, chasing both Fitzsimmons and Walker from the mound. Brooklyn defeated the Chicago Cubs, 4 to 3, in the only other National League game Tuesday.

Columbus

J. M. and W. A. Bolding were visitors to Texarkana Tuesday. Paul Dudeney of Washington, was a visitor here last week. Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Autrey were visitors to Texarkana Tuesday. John Spates of Saratoga was a visitor here Thursday. Miss Ruth Griffin of Fort Worth, Texas, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Griffin at Cross Roads. Mrs. Jim Wilson, Jr., and Miss Janie Johnson were visitors to Hope Friday. Mrs. H. H. Darnall and C. W. Darnall spent Thursday in Texarkana with Miss Lorena Darnall who is a patient in a Texarkana hospital. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Walker spent Thursday with friends in Texarkana. Miss Verda McCorkle is visiting with Miss Ruth Griffin at Cross Roads. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hamilton and Danny, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred White at Hope. Miss Addie Bess Hudgins of Helena has arrived to spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Shepperson. C. R. White and Jim Stuart were visitors to Hope Saturday. Morley Jennings spent Sunday with friends in Texarkana. John Wilson of Shreveport, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson. G. R. Suggs, Frank Suggs and Chester Suggs, Jr., of McNab and their guest Lawrence Roundtree of Nashville, were visitors here Friday. Mrs. Will Moss and Mrs. Chesser of McNab, visited recently with Miss Mabel Sipes. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Delaney of Buck Range, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Bobbie McCorkle. Morley Jennings, Joe Wilson and R. E. Jackson were visitors to Texarkana Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wesson of Nashville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ellen. Mrs. Joe Wilson spent Sunday in Washington visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williamson of Shreveport, who have been on a trip through the Ozarks are now visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson.

OUT OUR WAY



By Williams

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J. R. WILLIAMS
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July Bargains

The big store leads in values, in July, as well as every month in the year. Here are some tempting bargains, encouraging you to buy now. We must make room for our Fall stock.



Ladies Wash Frocks

A beautiful showing of Wash Dresses. All are fast in color. In every size, and every dress in excellent taste. Clever prints, trimmed with Organdy, so cool in appearance. And what bargains at your choice

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Millinery Sale

Closing out one large group of Ladies Spring and Summer Hats consisting of former values up to \$2.00. Straws, Viscos, and a few Felt Hats are included. In all head sizes, and in every wanted style and shade. Special

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Sale of Slippers

A close-out of good styles in Ladies and Misses Slippers. More than 200 styles to select from. All are good leathers. Some formerly sold for as much as \$1.00 the pair. In high, medium or low heels. In every color including a few white slippers. There's lots of wear in these shoes. And the styles will be good for next year.

\$1.98

Childrens Wash Frocks

Sizes 2 to 6 in cleverly designed wash frocks. Some are trimmed in self material - some are in two-toned effects. Every one is fast in color. A real bargain



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Men's Blucher Oxfords



Men's gunmetal blucher oxfords, a splendid shoe at a bargain price. In all sizes. Broad toes for comfort. Our featured price, the pair only

\$1.98

Men's Dress Shirts

Men's and boys' genuine broadcloth shirts—in pretty patterns, and in all solid colors. Cut full—made up nicely. An outstanding Robison value, at

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Men's-Boys Overalls

Here's more of the Overall value that has led the economy parade in Southwest Arkansas for the past nine months. A 2.20 weight blue denim Overall or Jumper, cut full to size, at a tremendous bargain. Men's and boys' sizes. Buy now while they last at this low price. The garment, only



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